#### **BOARD of SUPERVISORS**



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June 19, 2018

The Honorable Scott Wiener California State Senator California State Capitol, Room 4066 Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 180-18

Dear Senator Wiener:

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Re: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 180-18

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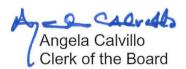
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